

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 443

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 26, 2005

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

AN ACT

To improve the investigation of criminal antitrust offenses.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Antitrust Criminal In-
5 vestigative Improvements Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMENDMENT OF PREDICATE CRIMES FOR AUTHOR-**
2 **IZATION FOR INTERCEPTION OF WIRE, ORAL,**
3 **AND ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS.**

4 Section 2516(1) of title 18, United State Code, is
5 amended—

6 (1) in subparagraph (q), by striking “or” after
7 the semicolon;

8 (2) by redesignating subparagraph (r) as sub-
9 paragraph (s); and

10 (3) by adding after subparagraph (q) the fol-
11 lowing:

12 “(r) any criminal violation of section 1 (relating
13 to illegal restraints of trade or commerce), 2 (relat-
14 ing to illegal monopolizing of trade or commerce), or
15 3 (relating to illegal restraints of trade or commerce
16 in territories or the District of Columbia) of the
17 Sherman Act (15 U.S.C. 1, 2, 3); or”.

Passed the Senate October 25, 2005.

Attest: **EMILY J. REYNOLDS,**
Secretary.